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In re Patent Application of:
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For: METHOD OF INHIBITING HEMATOPOIETIC
CELL SURVIVAL (as amended herein)

Examiner: Z. C. Howard

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

This amendment is accompanied by a Petition for a one-month Extension of Time and a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). It is believed that no additional fees are required for

this response. However, should additional fees be necessary in connection with the filing of this response, or if a petition for extension of time is required for timely acceptance of the same, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge Deposit Account No. 04-0100 for any such fees, and applicants hereby petition for any needed extension of time.